

Here Is a Problem For the Fair Business-School Graduate—When a Business Man Marries His Stenographer Who Takes the Dictation?

TEXANS PREPARE FOR AN INVASION FROM MEXICO

Citizens of the Border Counties Sleep On Their Arms

TROOPS GO TO BROWNSVILLE

Gen. Funston Wires that Conditions at that Trouble Center are Serious.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Gen. Frederick Funston wired the war department today that a detachment of the Ninth Infantry had been dispatched to Brownsville, conditions there being such as to warrant the presence of armed troops.

Galveston, July 12.—Virtually every American citizen in the three southernmost counties of Texas—Cameron, Hidalgo and Starr—was resting under arms last night in fear that the overwhelming Mexican population of the section might break out in a racial fight. The Mexican disturbance spread rapidly westward yesterday until rumors of trouble developed at Laredo, 200 miles along the border from Brownsville, Tex. The disturbance is reported there to have been part of an attempt to turn part of Texas back to Mexican control, a wild scheme backed by ignorant classes of Mexicans, escaped convicts, fugitives from justice on the American side and irresponsible Mexicans from the other side. The disturbance has been fanned by some of the bitter disputes of border political conditions, which in some instances kept the American residents offhand section from realizing how strong the undercurrent of Mexican feeling was growing.

Rangers in Hidalgo county pursuing some of the gang which killed an

American trooper near Mercedes Tuesday night, captured a flag yesterday bearing in Spanish the words, "Army of liberation for Mexicans in Texas." They took a horse, some literature urging Mexicans to revolt, and some telegrams, one dated Monterey.

Army and federal investigators declared the organizers of the trouble were working under the plan of San Diego, which calls for the death of every American male over 16 in communities along the Rio Grande and also along the border of New Mexico, Arizona and California. It has been reported to Maj. Gen. Frederick Funston that more than 3000 Mexicans already are pledged to the organization.

Federal officers last winter believed they nipped one attempt to put this revolution into effect when they arrested a Mexican on charges of sedition discovering in his possession details of the plan which were published at the time.

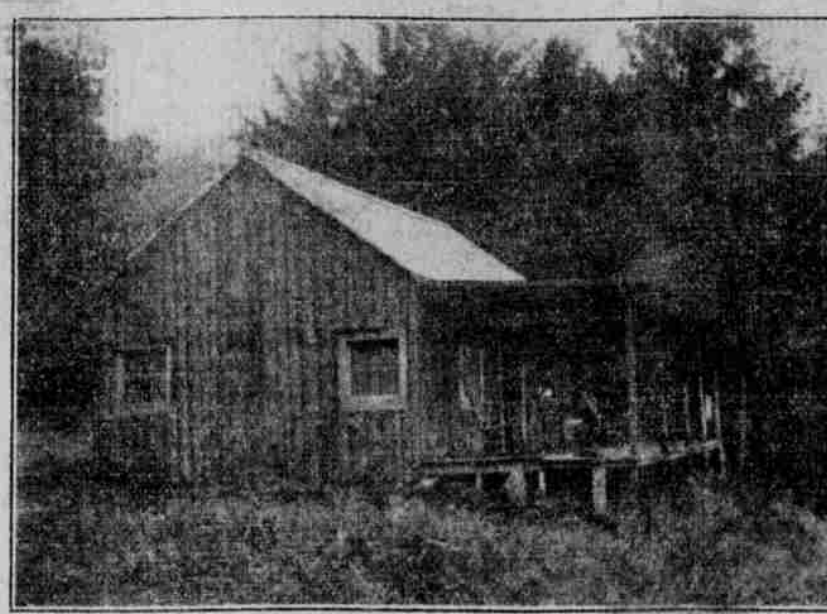
Authorities in Brownsville last night were watching the river about 10 miles below Brownsville at a point where it was reported several hundred-armed Mexicans had gathered on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande waiting to cross the river under cover of darkness. A Mexican rancher in Hidalgo county, about 50 miles up the river from Brownsville, appealed for aid yesterday forenoon, asserting that 80 armed Mexicans were hiding on his ranch. He said they had threatened to kill him if he told of their presence.

There were many reports in Brownsville that officials on the Mexican side of the river, which is under Carranza control, are responsible for some of the trouble on the American side, either because of the laxness of discipline or by direct connivance. However, there is no evidence that any of the higher Mexican authorities are involved in these plots, which seem rather the doings of individuals. Officials in Brownsville, however, reported that 1500 former Carranza soldiers have crossed the river along a zone 120 miles wide from a point below Brownsville to Rio Grande City, up the river. At least 30 different parties are said to have crossed. Most of the river bank winds through brush and woods far from any roads, so that a small army of troops would have difficulty guarding it.

Many Mexicans along the American side of the border appear to be entirely innocent of causing trouble and hundreds of Mexican families are seeking protection of American guards in the towns.

Thus far the outbreaks have been in the newer communities populated largely with persons unfamiliar with Mexican ways. Even in Brownsville yesterday, however, the tension became unusual, but it was largely relieved by the announcement that four companies of United States infantry will arrive in Laredo this morning.

Among the leaders of the Mexican gangs are known to be two men under indictment in this country and one an escaped convict from the American side.



BENNINGTON GREEN MOUNTAIN CLUB'S PERMANENT CAMP

TO DEDICATE NEW CAMP OF GREEN MOUNTAIN CLUB

Formal Opening Will Take Place Next Monday

CLUB ARRANGES AN EXCURSION

Cabin is Located at Junction of Mountain Trails in Several Directions.

The new permanent camp of the Green Mountain Club situated near the foot of "Hell Hollow" in Woodford is now practically completed and on next Monday, the 16th, the club will hold a "Camp Warming" and like to dedicate the structure which promises to be a popular rendezvous for the members and travelers on the Long Trail.

The camp site is ideal in every respect, being accessible by carriage or auto and about five and one half miles from this village. Although the camp cannot be seen from the road and is only about 200 yards from the terminus of the highway, a beautiful view can be obtained from its spacious veranda. To the southwest lie the mountains forming Woodford Hollow and to the northwest directly opposite the camp one has an expansive view of Bald Mountain, while to the north and northeast are the Blackford and Glensbury valleys. The camp is also the nucleus of a number of good trails affording many one-day hikes. It is on the Long Trail and Keweenaw Hill trail to Little Pond, while a few hundred yards to the southwest the Bald Mountain trail leaves the highway and to their north can be followed the trail to Old Glensbury, Glensbury Mountain, Camp Elmore and Somerset. The Danville trail to Sucker Pond is also a case of access.

The cabin itself is 16 by 26 feet with a ten-foot veranda running the length of the building. The inside is arranged with a good sized main room and two bunk rooms accommodating eight persons. Considerable equipment has already been provided making it possible for members to drop in at any time and enjoy its hospitality.

The excursion Monday will be made by autos to the camp and from there two hikes are planned, one to Little Pond by the Knowlton Hill trail returning by the Long Trail and the other to Old Glensbury Mountain, if time permits. Those desiring transportation to and from the camp should notify at once Dr. F. S. Pratt, chairman of the excursion committee or J. L. Griswold, secretary. Members may invite friends and all should bring lunch.

NOTICE

SEWING MACHINES—No matter what make, can be repaired and run as perfect as new. Over 100 references in Bennington. All kinds of repairs furnished. Get a list of my statistics on "Adequate" 123 Pleasant St., Bennington, Vt. 4807

LOST—Five dollar reward for return of sea clock with no rail. Strayed from White Crow Inn. Last seen Friday on the East Road. Return to White Crow Inn. 4804

LOST—Wedding day afternoon some where between Library Hall and Drysdale's store a small roll of bills containing a total of six dollars. Finder please notify, Tel. 331-4 4802

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POLICE TO ARREST CARELESS AUTO DRIVERS

Regulations Put In Force By the Village Trustees

SPEED LIMIT SET AT TEN MILES

Persons Operating Cars Must Conform to Certain Rules for Public's Protection.

The congested condition of traffic on the streets of this village, due to the increasing number of automobiles and the narrow escape from serious accidents in many instances, has made it necessary for the trustees of the village to put in force certain police and traffic regulations for the protection of the people using the streets.

Careless and negligent driving is very common, and hereafter all police officers will be required to apprehend all persons so driving within the village limits.

Police officers will be stationed at the most congested points in the village from time to time and are under orders to strictly enforce the law of the state and the following police and traffic regulations:

Sec. 1. Drivers of automobiles and hand side of the road, excepting when passing another, when they shall turn to the left and shall not pull over to the right until clear of the vehicle passed.

Sec. 2. Drivers of automobiles or other vehicles shall approach the street crossings slowly, and all motor vehicles shall give timely signals with bell, horn or other device required by the law to be used for that purpose.

Sec. 3. Drivers of automobiles and other vehicles on approaching a street car loading or unloading passengers shall stop and not pass such car while passengers are getting off or on.

Sec. 4. Drivers of all vehicles turning to the right into another street shall turn the corner as near the curb as practicable. All vehicles turning to the left into another street shall pass to the right of and beyond the center of the intersecting street before turning.

Sec. 5. The driver of an automobile or other vehicle about to turn a corner in the street of that part of the village where traffic is greatest, shall plainly indicate the direction in which he purports to turn by holding out the left or right hand, and when wishing to stop and there being another vehicle following, shall hold up his hand to signify and warn such person following of his intention to stop.

Sec. 6. Vehicles moving forward on the right side of a street wishing to stop on the left side shall turn around before stopping so that when motion is resumed said vehicle shall proceed along the right side of the street.

Sec. 7. No vehicle shall be backed in the street without warning having been given and the exercise of great care while backing, for the safety of other persons or vehicles in the rear.

Sec. 8. No vehicle shall stop in the street except at the curb or in case of accident and no vehicle shall stand within ten feet of any intersecting street corner or crossing.

Sec. 9. Drivers of automobiles shall not permit the engines of their machines to remain running while the car is standing in the street for more than one minute at a time, nor shall they stop such vehicle except at

GERMANS ATTACK WITH BIG GUNS ON KOVNO FRONT

Now Hold Pipe, Only Six Miles From City

MILITARY SUPPLIES REMOVED

Berlin Sayse Kaiser's Army Has Junction on Warsaw—Petrograd Railroad.

London, Aug. 12.—On the eastern front Kovno is now the danger point in the Russian line. The armies of Grand Duke Nicholas apparently have arrested the German offensive against Riga and Dvinsk, but are being hard pressed on the Kovno front, which the Germans are attacking with guns of all calibers, including the famous sixteen-inch cannon, which no fortress hitherto has been able to withstand.

The German official report announces the occupation of the forest at Benjamino, east of the fortress of Novo Georgievsk, and the Warsaw-Petrograd railroad has been reached at the junction southeast of Ostrov.

Reuter's correspondent at Petrograd points out that the village of Pipe on which the Germans have retained their hold notwithstanding the fierce counter-attacks of the Russians, is only six miles west of Kovno. It lies on the left bank of the Niemen.

Preparations are under way for the possible evacuation of the fortress. All military supplies and government properties have been removed and factories are being dismantled.

A Zeppelin has appeared for the first time over the fortress of Dvinsk, on the Divina, 110 miles southeast of Riga. The airship circled the ramparts.

The Reuter correspondent adds that it is evident from the latest official communications that the invaders are well established in very strong force on a forty-mile bow-shaped front from Lomza to Ostrov, and he predicts that an effort will be made to reach the important railroad junction at Dvinsk, southwest of Riga. The civilians are already evacuating the place. General Ruzsky has gone on a visit of inspection there with the commandant of the military district.

WEATHER FORECAST

For eastern New York and western Vermont showers tonight and probably Friday.

the curb. No driver of an automobile operating within the village shall open the muffler cutout or permit an unreasonable amount of smoke to escape.

SPEED LIMIT
Section 4091 of the Public Statutes of Vermont provides as follows:

"No automobile or motor vehicle shall be run on a public way or private way laid out under authority of Statute, in a careless or negligent manner. If a person runs an automobile or motor vehicle at a rate of speed exceeding ten miles an hour within a city, incorporated village or the thickly settled part of a town, or at a rate of speed exceeding ten miles an hour across any bridge of more than fifty feet span, it shall be prima facie evidence that the automobile or motor vehicle was run carelessly or negligently."

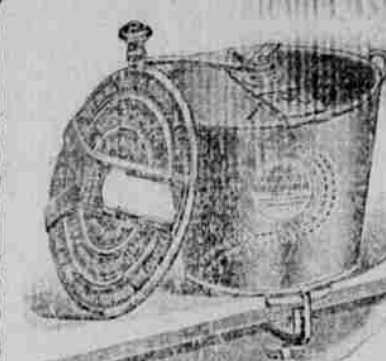
By order of the Village Trustees,
S. A. Bart,
Chairman of Police Committee,
Patrick Brazil,
Chief of Police.

Attest: W. P. Hogan,
Village Clerk.
Bennington, Vt., August 7th, 1915.

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FOR SALE—Mahogany antique, 135 years old fine Napoleon bed, cash table, sofa, beautiful carved fern pattern also heavy bed, etc. nearly used. Address Salesman 5 North Holden Street North Adams Mass. 5209

FOR SALE—Couple of barns, one carriage and buggy. W. D. Watson, Depot St. 5209

FOR SALE—Bay horse, 15 years, never been harness. Also 100 Rhode Island Red and Barred Rock pullets, 5 months old. Backus, North Bennington, P.O. 171-W. 5111

FOR SALE—One pair horses, one 7, one 5, sound, untrained, weight 1100 lbs. One farm wagon in good repair. One pair lumber sleighs, one team, new by new. One road scraper, and other farm implements. William Snow, Branch St. Ext. 5109

FOR SALE—1 Brown & Simpson upright Grand Piano in good condition for \$150. on easy terms must be sold at once. Call at 101 Main St. between one and 5 P.M. 5105

FOR SALE—One Ford Roadster. This car would make a good light truck and will be sold at a very low figure. Bennington Garage 494

FOR SALE—A small place of about 12 acres, consists of 2 barns, hog house, granary, a room house, nice spring water, good gravel bank, 5 1/2 acres of pine land. Price \$2500. Just out of village of North Bennington on trail line. Inquire Chicken Coop Inn, North Bennington. 4814

FOR SALE—One four cylinder five passenger 35 horse power Interstate touring car. This car is in excellent condition and will be sold at a very low figure. E. W. Williams, The Bennington Garage. 4814

FOR SALE—The large brick dwelling on Pleasant St. in the Village of Bennington, formerly occupied by the late Anna C. Park. This house has spacious grounds and contains fourteen large rooms, besides pantry, bath room, large wood shed and four room cellar. It is equipped with all modern improvements. This place, which is one of the most desirable in Bennington, will be sold at a very reasonable price. Apply to R. H. Webster, R. E. Healy or Edward J. Hall, Bennington. 4814

FOR SALE—The Worthington homestead in North Bennington, Vt., consisting of 2 story house, porch across entire front and part of each side, hot air furnace, concrete water system, bath room and acetylene gas plant. Large, roomy farm, suitable for garage, cement walks, nice lawn, gravel driveway, also garden. Lot has frontage of over 100 feet. An ideal place for anyone desiring a home with all modern improvements. Will be sold reasonable. Inquire of R. A. Jones, First National Bank, or of Mrs. W. C. Worthington, on premises, North Bennington, Vt. 5011

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WANTED—To hire a farm with large house and barn. Address K. Box 288, Manchester Depot, Vt. 5214

WANTED—Pupil nurses at the Taunton State Hospital Training School for Nurses. For particulars, address Dr. Arthur V. Goss, Sup't., Taunton State Hospital, Taunton 5011

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